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STABLE LANSOPRAZOLE CONTAINING MORE THAN 500 PPM, UP TO ABOUT 3,000 PPM WATER AND MORE

THAN 200 PPM, UP TO ABOUT 5,000 PPM ALCOHOL

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2007, a Notice of Appeal having been filed which appears to have been received by the USPTO on April 7, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and comments into the file of the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.